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Interview Summary

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):						
(1) Stephen L. Blau.	(3) <u>Mr. James F. Baird (Re</u>	g. No. 31,463).				
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Date of Interview: 30 May 2006.						
Type: a)⊠ Telephonic b)□ Video Conference c)□ Personal [copy given to: 1)□ applicant 2	e) applicant's representative	e]				
Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes If Yes, brief description:	e)⊠ No.					
Claim(s) discussed: 3-5 and 17.						
Identification of prior art discussed: Ryan, Kobayashi.						
Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g)⊠ was not reached. h)□ N	I/A.				
Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: <u>See Continuation Sheet</u> .						
(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)						
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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed how the head being in the design lie of a head is critical for parallax correction. The examiner discussed why he believed that it would be obvious for Ryan to take that into account. Discussed how method steps are not given weight if the end product is the same in apparatus claims. Dicussed that a head of Kobayashi would balance at the sweet spot due to the center of gravity being behind the sweet spot and this is a known teaching in the art. Dicussed if it would be obvious to have a center of gravity behind the sweet spot of Ryan. The examiner discussed that if the applicant was able to show that the produced parallax correction line would not be the same as that of Ryan which is shown to be 18-26 degrees how this would be a strong argument of overcoming the prior art used.